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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of:

ARAKI et al.

Application No. 09/725,143

Filed: November 29, 2000

Art Unit: 2174

Examiner: S. Sax

For: NAVIGATION DEVICE AND DEVICE FOR  
GENERATING NAVIGATION DEVICE

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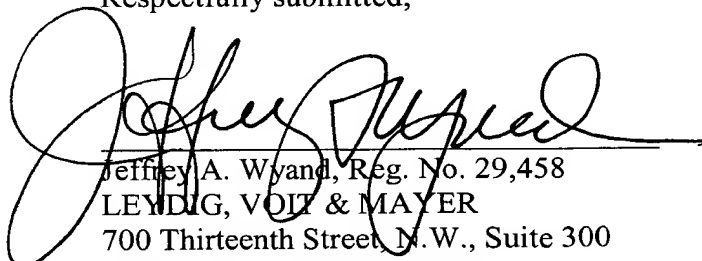
Dear Sir:

A Notice of Abandonment was mailed March 9, 2004 for the referenced patent application, alleging that no response had been timely filed to the Official Action of August 12, 2003.

In fact, a proper response had been filed on January 26, 2004. A copy of the response filed and a photocopy of the postcard receipt showing the filing on January 26, 2004 are attached.

Since the Notice of Abandonment was clearly sent in error, it should be withdrawn, the response filed January 26 entered in the file and examination should continue.

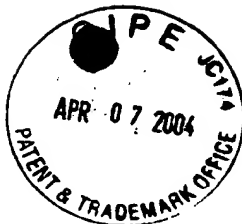
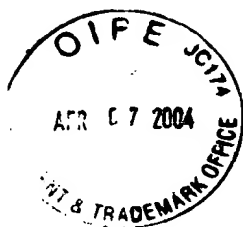
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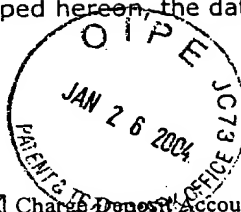
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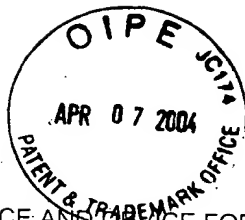
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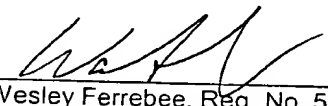
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- Sir:
- ☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- ☐ Other:
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- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
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